

SESSION II.
1906.
NEW ZEALAND.

KAURI-GUM INDUSTRY ACT

(RETURNS RELATIVE TO LICENSES ISSUED UNDER THE).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 19th September, 1906.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The number of licenses (each kind to be stated separately) issued under the Kauri-gum Industry Act by each local authority since the passing of the Act; (2) the gross amounts received by the various local bodies on account of these licenses; and (3) the purposes for which these moneys have been expended."—(Mr. STALLWORTHY.)

RETURN under the KAURI-GUM INDUSTRY ACT showing the Number of Licenses issued by each Local Authority since the Passing of the Act to the 30th September, 1906; the Gross Amount received by the various Local Bodies on account of these Licenses; the Purposes for which these Moneys have been expended.

Local Authority.	Number of Licenses issued by each Local Authority.			Gross Amount received by the Various Local Bodies on account of these Licenses.			Purposes for which these Moneys have been expended.
	Special.	Ordinary.	Gum-buyers'.				
Auckland City Council	Nil	Nil	31	£	s.	d.	General revenues of the city.
Bay of Islands County Council	1,562	962	126	1,478	0	0	Constructing and repairing roads and bridges.
Coromandel County Council	357	129	36	254	6	0	Paying commission to Rangers; Council Fund.
Hobson County Council	4,460	2,428	149	3,692	0	0	Constructing and repairing roads and bridges.
Hokianga County Council	1,792	396	190	1,034	0	0	Paying commission to Ranger (£211 6s. 4d.); constructing and repairing roads and bridges.
Mongonui County Council.*							
Ohinemuri County Council	27	10	8	18	0	0	County Fund.
Otamatea County Council	737	350	69	603	0	0	Repairing roads.
Rodney County Council	1,262	442	100	857	13	0	Paying commission to Ranger; repairing roads.
Thames County Council	542	1,280	232	1,591	18	0	Paying commission to Ranger (£741 0s. 7d.); repairing roads (£850 17s. 5d.).
Waitemata County Council	2,159	198	128	865	15	0	Road formation and repairs.
Whangarei County Council	4,073	321	204	1,543	5	0	Road-works; administering Kauri-gum Industry Act.
Whangaroa County Council	1,294	38	81	443	10	0	Paying commission to Ranger (20 per cent.); Council Fund (balance).
Total ...	18,238	6,554	1,354	12,459	7	0	

* Return not yet received.

Department of Labour, 29th October, 1906.

J. MACKAY,
For the Secretary.

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